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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Billings Hotel & Convention Center 1223 Mullowney Lane, Billings

Tuesday, October 17, 2006

8:30 am Registration (Coffee and Pastries served)

8:55 am Welcome, Introduction and Announcements Jeff Weldon, School Law Section Chair

9:00 am **Employee Discrimination and Retaliation Issues.**Discussion and application of <u>Jackson v. Birmingham Bd. of Ed.</u> and <u>BN v. White</u> cases by attorney who argued for the Birmingham Bd. before the U.S. Supreme Court *Kenneth L. Thomas, Esq.*

10:15 am **Impact of Race in Public Education.** Discussion and application of state and federal laws and cases concerning race and public education by attorney (amicus curiae) in Meredith v. Jefferson Co. Bd. of Education and Parents Involved in Community Schools v. Seattle School Dist., currently pending before the U.S. Supreme Court Sharon Browne, Esq.

11:30 am **New IDEA Regulations** *Andree Larose, Esq.*

12:00 pm Lunch (Included in Registration)

School Law Business Meeting

1:00 pm **Student and Employee Record Identification and Retention Issues**Jeff Hindoien, Esq.

2:00 pm School Records in Litigation and Impact of State and New Federal Electronic Discovery Rules Marilee Duncan, Esq.

3:00 pm **Use of Technology to Manage School Records** *Karen Palmer and Jeff Weldon, Esg.*

3:30 pm **Extracurricular Policies** *Elizabeth Kaleva, Esq.*

4:00 pm **Legal Status of Arbitration** *Michael Dahlem, Esq.*

4:30 pm Adjourn

Moderator and Presenter: Jeff Weldon, Esa.

Felt, Martin, Frazier, Jacobs & Rapkoch, P.C. Billings, MT

Special Guest Speakers:

Sharon Browne, Esq.

Pacific Legal Foundation Sacramento, CA

Kenneth L. Thomas, Esq.

Thomas, Means, Gillis & Seay, P.C. Montgomery, AL

Also Presenting:

Michael W. Dahlem, Esq.

Missoula, MT

Marilee Duncan, Esq.

Felt, Martin, Frazier, Jacobs & Rapkoch, P.C. Billings, MT

Jeff Hindoien, Esq.

Gough, Shanahan, Johnson & Waterman Helena, MT

Elizabeth Kaleva, Esq.

Missoula, MT

Andree Larose, Esq.

Montana Advocacy Program, Helena, MT

Karen Palmer

Director of Technology, Billings Public Schools Billings, MT

Scope & Purpose: The U.S. Supreme Court addressed retaliation in the work place in two recent cases, which will be discussed by a nationally prominent attorney involved in one of those cases. This semianr will also address the race-related cases currently before the Court and their impact on schools. The afternoon session will include an in-depth analysis of school record issues and the issue of keeping a permanent record of e-mails and other electronically stored information will also be covered. The seminar is geared for attorneys, school administrators and trustees.

Hotel Accommodations

Rooms have been blocked at the Billings Hotel & Convention Center, 1223 Mullowney Lane, (just off I-90, take Exit 446, King Ave. West/Mullowney). **RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE PRIOR TO OCTOBER 1** in order to get the discount prices. You may call the hotel at 406-248-7151, and be sure to ask for a room in the State Bar room block.

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